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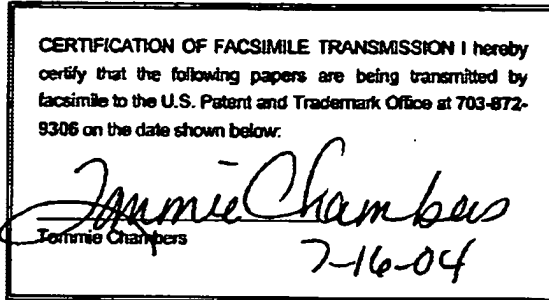
Applicant: Farrell, et al. Docket No: TI-33431
Serial No: 10/034,788 Examiner: Fox, Charles
Filed: 12/27/2001 Art Unit: 3652
For: BI-DIRECTIONAL WAFER TRANSFER MECHANISM AND METHOD

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**NOTICE OF APPEAL FROM THE PRIMARY EXAMINER
TO THE BOARD OF APPEALS**

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
PO Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:



Applicant hereby appeals to the Board of Appeals from the decision mailed 04/20/04, of the Primary Examiner finally rejecting Claims 3-12, 14, and 15.

The item(s) checked below are appropriate:

1. ☐ An extension of time to respond to the final rejection

☐ was granted on _____
☐ is requested for _____ month.

2. ☒ A timely response to the final rejection has been filed, as provided in 841 O.G. 1411.

3. ☒ Fee \$330.00:

☐ Not required (Fee paid in prior appeal)
☒ The Commissioner of Patents is hereby authorized to charge any fees which may be required or credit any overpayment to the deposit account of Texas Instruments Incorporated, Account No. 20-0668.
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